

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Prior to the present Reply, claims 5, 24-26, 28-31, 33, 36, and 40-45 were pending in the present application. Claims 24 and 40-42 have been amended through this Reply. New claims 46-61 have been added by amendment. No new matter is added by amendment. Accordingly, following the entry of this paper, claims 5, 24-26, 28-31, 33, 36, and 40-61 will be pending in the present application. Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

Discussion of Terminal Disclaimer

Applicant submitted a Terminal Disclaimer with the Response filed on November 27, 2007. The Examiner notes that the Terminal Disclaimer fee of \$130 was not submitted with the Response, nor was there authorization to charge a Deposit Account.

Applicant apologizes for the oversight and expressly authorizes the fee for the Terminal Disclaimer be charged to Deposit Account No. 17-0026.

Applicant believes the Terminal Disclaimer filed with the previous Response will be proper following the charge of the fee to the Deposit Account, and respectfully requests approval of the Terminal Disclaimer.

Discussion of Objected to Claims

Claims 40-42 were objected to for having the language "A processor-readable medium including...." The Examiner suggests Applicant amend the claims such that the language read --A processor-readable medium encoded with....--

Applicant amends claims 40-42 in the manner suggested by the Examiner. Applicant believes that the objection to the claims is overcome by incorporation of the Examiner's suggested language. Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the objections to the claims.

Discussion of Allowable Claims

Claims 5, 24-26, 28-31, 33, 36, and 43-45 were indicated as allowable. Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of the claims. Applicant amends claim 24 to make the term "the signal" consistent with previous use of the term.

Discussion of New Claims

Applicant adds new claims 46-61. No new matter is added by amendment. Support for the claims may be found throughout Applicant's Specification, as filed, as well as in the original claims.

Support for claims 46-47 can be found, for example, at paragraph [0043]-[0045].

Support for claim 48 can be found, for example, at paragraph [0049].

Support for claim 49 can be found, for example, at paragraph [0048].

Support for claim 50 can be found, for example, at paragraph [0059]-[0060].

Support for claims 51-55 can be found, for example, in original claims 26 and 28-31.

Claim 56 corresponds substantially to claim 24 rewritten as an apparatus claim in the manner authorized under 35 U.S.C. §112, sixth paragraph, and thus is supported at least by claim 24.

Support for claims 57-61 can be found, for example, in original claims 26 and 28-31.

Each of claims 46-61 is believed to be allowable, and Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the claims.

REQUEST FOR ALLOWANCE

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that all pending claims in the application are patentable. Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance of this application are earnestly solicited.

Applicant believes that the instant response is filed within the Shortened Statutory Period for response provided in the Office Action of February 7, 2008.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of the response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 17-0026. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Should any issues remain unresolved, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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